

Part II Exercises – Reportability: Coding Site and Histology

Data Collection of Non-malignant Primary CNS Tumors

For these exercises, assume that the patient had no previous non-malignant or malignant tumors of other sites.

Assign ICD-O-3 codes for site and histology even if the case is not reportable.

1. The patient was seen in the hospital neurology clinic on March 4, 2004 and was prescribed Tamoxifen for cerebral meningioma. The patient was first diagnosed with cerebral meningioma in December 2001.

Reportable:

Primary site:

Histology:

2. The patient was diagnosed on April 15, 2004 with a chondroma originating in the skull.

Reportable:

Primary site:

Histology:

3. The patient was diagnosed on December 1, 2004 with a chordoma of the right frontal lobe extending into the skull.

Reportable:

Primary site:

Histology:

4. On February 2, 2002 the patient was diagnosed with low-grade astrocytoma of the cerebellum, Kernohan grade 2.

Reportable:

Primary site:

Histology:

5. The patient had an intracranial biopsy on July 1, 2004, and the tumor pathology was WHO grade I schwannoma.

Reportable:

Primary site:

Histology:

6. The final pathologic diagnosis for a procedure performed on January 2, 2004 was well-differentiated pituitary adenoma.

Reportable:

Primary site:

Histology:

7. The patient had hearing loss on the right side first documented in 2002. In August 2002, a computerized tomography (CT) scan showed acoustic neuroma but no treatment was given. On July 25, 2004 the patient had surgical resection of an intracranial tumor. The final pathologic diagnosis was right acoustic neuroma.

Reportable:

Primary site:

Histology:

8. A CT scan in May 2004 identified a lesion in the cerebral meninges. A biopsy of the lesion was used to diagnose cholesteatoma.

Reportable:

Primary site:

Histology:

9. Magnetic Resonance Imaging (MRI) was used to identify a pinealoma on February 20, 2004. The patient had gamma knife radiosurgery on March 15, 2004.

Reportable:

Primary site:

Histology:

10. A CT scan identified a non-glial tumor in the temporal lobe on October 1, 2004. The tumor was removed and final pathologic diagnosis was meningioma of the left temporal dura.

Reportable:

Primary site:

Histology: